

# The Union Revival

at the M. E. Church, South

**C. FENWICK REED**

Evanglist of Greencastle, Ind., will preach at 10:45 a. m.

**A CORDIAL WELCOME AWAITS YOU**

of the M. E. Church and the M. E. Church, South,  
Begins Sunday Morning, May 29th

## Sundy's Summer Garden

will open Friday, May 27th

Well illuminated with our new lighting system, electric musical instruments and plenty of comfortable benches through the park. Also an orchestra to entertain you in the evening. Free for those who wish to dance. Refreshments and lunches will be served.

We will offer our park to Sunday Schools, Churches and lodges or any gatherings, reunions or picnics, free of charge with music and lights.

Be sure and visit

**SUNDY'S SUMMER GARDEN**

on Farmington-Flat River Road

### LOCAL MENTION

Next Monday is Decoration Day. Seed Corn at Klein's. Millet Seed at Klein's. Stock Peas at Klein's. Screen Wire at Klein's. Shelled Nuts at Klein's. Brown Sugar at Klein's. Country Hams at Klein's. Bulk Rolled Oats at Klein's. Poultry Lice Killer at Klein's. Barrel and Sack Salt at Klein's. Broken Rice, 4 cents a pound, at Klein's. Fresh Vegetables every morning at Klein's.

Mrs. John Gall is on the sick list this week.

Miss Ceva Hicks spent Sunday with Flat River friends.

Walter and Leo Carrow spent Sunday in Lauretton.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Shinn, on May 24th, a daughter.

Paul Adams was a St. Louis visitor the first of the week.

Pat Moran, of Bonne Terre, spent Tuesday in Farmington.

Clyde Hahn, of Flat River, was a Farmington visitor Saturday.

Howard Counts, of Flat River, was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Henry Smith, of Marble Hill, spent the week-end with H. Y. Nugent.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mackley and children spent Sunday in Bloomsdale.

Richard Adams and son, Roy, were lead belt visitors the first of the week.

Mrs. J. C. Watson leaves this morning for a visit with relatives in Marion, Ill.

Miss Alma Sheets left Wednesday for St. Louis, where she has employment.

Mrs. George Grounds, of St. Louis, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Joe Bruett.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Branning attended a baptizing at Chestnut Ridge Sunday.

Shelton Bryan and Herschel Cole, of Desloge, were Farmington visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Mildred M. Whitelaw, of St. Louis, is visiting her sister, Mrs. T. D. Fisher.

Prof. and Mrs. W. J. Johns spent Sunday with Mrs. John's father in Blackwell.

Glen and Raymond Antoine, of Doe Run, spent Saturday with Farmington friends.

Misses Ada and Lela Hicks and Lucy Applegate were Flat River visitors Sunday.

Miss Irene Brewen, of Flat River, spent the week-end with her aunt, Miss Ceva Hicks.

Mr. and Mrs. Mason Vaughn, of Columbia, spent the first of the week with home folks here.

Miss Helen Scrutcheff arrived the first of the week and is the guest of Mrs. Fred Butterfield.

Mrs. Ben Effrein spent Tuesday and Wednesday with her daughter, Mrs. Pat Moran, in Bonne Terre.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Snider left in their car yesterday for a visit with relatives in Franklin county.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bruett and Mrs. George Grounds spent Sunday with old home folks near Cornwall.

I have an expert shoemaker now in my shop, whose work I guarantee to please you.—Johnson Shoe Shop.

Mrs. Alex Key and two daughters, Misses Rose and Zell, and son, Ted, were Doe Run visitors Wednesday.

Decoration Day next Monday will be fittingly observed in Farmington by visiting and decorating the city of the dead.

Mrs. A. P. Wishon and children, of Irondale, are spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Adams.

James Hume, who has been visiting his uncle, T. J. Chanin, for some time, returned Monday to his home in St. Louis.

Judge and Mrs. R. C. Tucker left Monday for a visit with their son, Rev. Frank Tucker, and family, in St. Charles, Mo.

Mrs. Nannie T. Eaton and son, Charles, of Bonne Terre, are visiting at the home of her parents, Judge and Mrs. R. C. Tucker.

Miss Allie Patton, the capable assistant postmaster, is spending the week-end with her mother, Mrs. A. Patton, in Ironton.

J. M. Hawkins, Circuit Clerk of Iron county, and T. N. Marr, an Ironton lawyer, were attending to business in circuit court here Tuesday.

Mrs. Nellie Marbury, who has been in the Baptist sanitarium in St. Louis for several weeks, is greatly improved and is expected to return home next week.

Mr. Buckley's large store at St. Francois was destroyed by fire yesterday morning. The Times is not informed as to the amount of insurance carried.

Mr. Roy Sheets and son, Ray, Lynn, and Mrs. M. E. Sheets and daughter, Miss Alma, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Byington at Flat River.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Henderson returned the last of the week from St. Louis, where they had been visiting their daughter, Miss Margaret, and her husband, Mr. Henderson, at their home in St. Louis.

### COUNTY COURT

The County Court met Saturday in adjourned meeting, with all members present.

A delegation of Flat River citizens presented to the court petition for oiling of streets of that place, which order was made.

It is ordered that there be levied upon all property in St. Francois county a tax of 25 cents on the \$100 valuation for road purposes for 1921.

A tax levy of 10 cents on the \$100 valuation on all property, outside of incorporated towns is ordered for various road districts.

A tax levy of 20 cents on the \$100 valuation on all property is ordered for the general revenue fund of the county, divided as follows: Road and Bridge Fund, Grand and Petit Jury Fund, Contingent, Pauper and Insane and Salary Funds.

A number of road overseers filed statements of money due for road work, which were examined and approved by the court.

At a special meeting of the county court Wednesday the matter of decreasing the assessment of the Illinois Southern Railway for the years of 1918, 1919 and 1920, was thoroughly gone into and duly considered.

During the past two years this road has not been in operation, and in view of the fact that this line is to be put into use again, it was decided to make a 50 per cent reduction in the road's valuation for the three years stated and County Collector J. E. Brewer was ordered to make such refund.

The total taxes and penalties affected by this order amount to \$11,071.97, practically half of which will be refunded to the railway company. But the rehabilitation of this road will be of great benefit to St. Francois county, so that this action of the county court should meet with the hearty approval of the taxpayers.

**McKINNEY—LIVINGSTONE**  
Thomas Edward McKinney, son of E. J. McKinney, perpetrated a surprise on his many friends in this city by motoring to St. Louis last Friday and being married Saturday noon to Miss Helen Livingstone, of that city.

The happy young couple returned to Farmington Sunday in their car, and are stopping with the groom's parents until they can prepare for house-keeping.

The bride is a charming and estimable young woman and the groom is one of Farmington's most energetic and capable young business men, who is employed in his father's busy establishment.

The Times joins with many friends in hearty best wishes for a long and happy union to this worthy young couple.

**A PRETTY WEDDING**  
Miss Harriett Tetley, third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Tetley, on Saturday evening, May 23rd, at 8 o'clock, became the bride of Earl M. Swink in a pretty wedding at the home of the bride's parents. Rev. Thogmorton officiated and the guests were limited to relatives and a few friends. There were no attendants.

The bride entered upon her father's arm to the strains of Lohengrin's wedding march, played by Miss Alma Swink. Her gown was of white satin veiled in chiffon. She carried a shower bouquet of white Jasmine. Mrs. L. G. Tetley sang in a charming manner "I Love You Truly" accompanied by Miss Frances Tetley, followed by Harry Smith who sang "I will Build a World of Love for You in the Heart of a Rose". Miss Dorris Swink and Miss Ina Evans presided at the punch bowl.

The out-of-town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Klein of St. Louis, Mr. and Mrs. Kennet Dobbins of River Mines, R. A. Swink of Pasadena, Calif., Thomas Long, of St. Louis, Mrs. W. H. Lorimer, Lafayette, Ind., Miss Anna Jennings, Maplewood.

Mrs. Swink was one of Farmington's charming young women. Mr. Swink is the only son of Mrs. J. L. Swink, and was popular among the younger set. They departed Monday afternoon for Pasadena, Calif., where they will make their home.

**DO YOU WISH TO TRY HUBAN CLOVER?**  
Editor Times:—Mention of Huban clover in "Farm Bureau Notes" of May 20 leads me to say: In 1918 I received a sample of "annual white sweet clover" from A. I. Root of Medina, Ohio, which, I think, is the same as the Huban clover. I sowed this sample in 1919, and got two plants, from which I raised two tablespoons of hulled seeds. Last year I sowed these two spoons of seed and saved a peck of unhulled seed.

Like biennial sweet clover, it will not do well on poor or sour soil. If sown soon and kept moist it will mature this season. Anyone interested can obtain a few seeds by sending a stamped envelope to

Mrs. T. C. Gideon,  
Doe Run, Mo.

**NOTICE TO TEACHERS**

The Libertyville School Board will meet Saturday night, June 4th, to elect a primary teacher for the ensuing year at Libertyville, Mo. Those desiring to make application may have consideration. For particulars apply to the board.

R. F. D. No. 1, Farmington, Mo.

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### COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

The Farmington schools closed an unusually successful year with the High School graduating exercises on Friday evening, May 20th, and the Eighth Grade graduation on Monday evening, May 23rd.

The principal features of the High School graduating exercises were the Class Address by State Superintendent of Public Schools, Sam A. Baker, and the rendition of some very pleasing selections by the High School Orchestra, directed by Dr. J. B. Graves. The Senior Class had rendered their class day program on the preceding night.

Supt. Baker was very enthusiastically received by the Farmington people, and his address was delivered in a very pleasing manner and provoked much serious thought on the subject of public education. It has been a long time since Farmington has been so delighted by an educational address of equal interest and beautiful diction.

His coming will be long remembered and the effect of his address will no doubt be felt for years to come.

While in Farmington Supt. Baker was entertained by the family of his uncle, our good citizen, Mr. G. N. Baker, who had not seen Supt. Baker for some twenty-four years. Glenwood S. Baker, one of the graduates, is a first cousin of the Superintendent.

Among the local friends of Supt. Baker is our hustling real estate dealer, Mr. W. N. Fleming, who was one of Mr. Baker's teachers; and our good Dr. G. L. Watkins, who was a pupil of Mr. Baker's in the Joplin High School some years ago.

Twenty-three pupils received the High School diplomas at the close of the program, President of the Board of Education, Hon. B. H. Marbury, presenting them with a short but very timely discussion of "Some Elements of Success." Miss Roxie L. Counts was valedictorian and Miss Julia Burlingame salutatorian of the class, both of whom had very excellent class standing. Following is a list of the graduates:

Glenwood S. Baker, Stephen B. Burks, Julia M. Burlingame, Roxie L. Counts, Ina Pearl Evans, Zola Mae Fikurt, Norma Gleasing, Theodore J. V. Gleasing, Helen C. Graves, John W. Ingram, Jacob L. LePere, Oscar B. LePere, Juanita M. McAtee, Kathleen McAtee, Margaret Overall, Florence Radle, W. Oscar Reese, Alma Sheets, Harry O. B. Smith, Olga Thomsen, Virginia Thomsen, George Harry Williams, Nora Williams.

The graduating exercises of the Eighth Grade were held in the High School Auditorium on Monday evening of this week before a record crowd. The program consisted of musical numbers, and readings that were pleasing to the audience. Forty-seven young people make up the roster of this class and practically every one of them will enter Farmington High School next September.

Part in the program on Monday night indicates that the Freshman class of next year will be unusually strong in music and literary activities. Mr. Fred M. Karsch in his usually pleasing manner, delivered a short talk in presenting the certificates, that went home to the members of the class and their parents.

Miss Naomi Gale, the youngest daughter of Mrs. G. B. Gale, was class leader and valedictorian, and Harold Duncan salutatorian. The class rolls follow:

Hilda Mae Boswell, Alma Bradshaw, Grace Burgess, Firmin Castleman, Edith Chappell, Lorena Clavin, Beulah Clay, Alma Coffey, Kathleen Counts, Helen Courtney, Paul Downing, Harold Duncan, Mildred Evans, Stephen Fleming, Norma Gleasing, Mildred Gleasing, A. O. Harter, Georgia Herzig, Alice Karsch, Paul Karsch, Frank Karsch, Genevieve Johnson, Helen Karsch, Russell Meyer, Gladys Miller, Leola Miller, Lois Miller, Mary Miller, Grace Mundt.

Theodore Murphy, William Pepin, Cecil Roberts, Dorothy Rummel, Edward Saling, Eva Lena Smith, Nona Smith, Marguerite Springmeyer, Malcolm Stinson, Robert Tate, Alma Voil, Florence Thomason, Evelyn Wallace, Grace Williams, Roger Willoughby, Willie Womack, Raymond Kite.

As has been his custom for a number of years, Mr. O. W. Bleck beautifully lettered in the names of the High School graduates, on their diplomas. He justly deserves the thanks of the class and the school management.

A very pleasing feature of the Eighth Grade exercises was the awarding of a five dollar gold piece, by the Sarah Barton Murphy Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution, to Edward Saling, for the highest standing in American history. This prize has been awarded annually by that organization for several years.

### LICENSED TO WED

May 20—Oscar Lange, of St. Francois, and Dora Grace Fikurt, of Farmington.

May 20—J. T. Easter, of Flat River, and Birdie Sides, of Jackson, Mo.

May 20—Earl Moore Swink and G. Harriett Tetley, both of Farmington.

May 23—Aaron Brown and Nellie Bainter, both of Flat River.

May 25—Noah Meyer and Naomi Hill, both of Farmington.

May 26—Orda M. McLeod, of Flat River, and Lucy R. Douglas, of Esther.

### AN ELVINS CONTROVERSY

Elvins, Mo., May 23, 1921.

Editor Farmington Times:—Dear Sir: In your issue of last week I read what purported to be an interview with the Marshal of Elvins, Mr. W. A. Black, wherein he, Mr. Black, tries to cast aspersions on the official acts of the new police judge. Now, being that Police Judge, I ask that you give me just a little space that I may state my side of the case, so that the people may know and judge for themselves whether it is the Police Judge or the Marshal who are "laying down on the job of cleaning up Elvins."

In speaking about his "call" to the "old red barn," Mr. Black says he found the house "overflowing" with "scores of men in the yard." "Some drunk, some were or had been drinking, some seemed to be sober." Fact is, Mr. Black acknowledges he was not positive of a sane sober man on the whole premises. Now read Article one of Ordinance No. 22, City of Elvins: "Who ever shall be found in this city in a state of intoxication in any way, thoroughfare or other public place, or on the premises of another, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction shall be fined not to exceed ten dollars."

Now, Mr. Black says he was "satisfied there was, or had been, bootlegging going on there, but was kept steered from the guilty parties." If Mr. Black is so anxious to clean up the town, why in the name of common sense did he not summon a posse, if need be, and go over and raid that old red barn and bring in every man and woman there, if need be, or get that bootleg whiskey and its owner. If Mr. Black was just arresting the drunk at that time, how did it happen that he picked up and caught in his teens and left all the others unmolested?

There were other drunks there, for he said so. Does the Marshal expect the Police Judge to go out and make the arrests, take them into his home, or collect the money and then turn it over to him, or is he supposed to have anything to do in keeping the peace of the town?

Mr. Editor, you or Mr. Black one acknowledges in that article that the town in times past has been rather "dirty." If Mr. Black has been such a tremendous power in law enforcement in Elvins, why is it so dirty? He

has been Marshal now around five years straight. Who do you think, Mr. Editor, the people would look to for law enforcement in a town, the Marshal or the Police Judge?

Now, as to the indignation over the masterful stroke of cleaning up Elvins. We acknowledge there was some, not over the fine imposed; however, but over the fact that a boy should be "selected from among a bunch of drunks, beat up, hustled off the premises in so rough a manner, while a bunch of gun men who infest Elvins all this time were allowed to proceed with their devilment. Yes, there was some little indignation.

Now, I never made any promises to clean up Elvins when sworn in as Police Judge, but I do make it here, if Mr. Black will assist me by bringing in the offensive ones, one and all. I'll soon prove to him and all others that I am not a "persecutor," but one who tries to be an impartial judge.

One thing more, in closing: The Dees bootlegging case does not interest me, only as it should any good citizen, but I would like to ask Mr. Black just two questions right here, and hope he will answer just as frankly as he announced the quality of the whiskey.

How did you learn to be a judge of whiskey, anyway?

How did you find out that the whiskey Dees had was good drinking whiskey?

Now, Mr. Editor, there are numerous other cases connected with the police court in Elvins during the past fourteen months. If the people want to know about them, have Mr. Black tell you. He knows.

FRED HENSON.

### TEACHERS' EXAMINATION

The next regular teachers' examination will be held at the Farmington high school building on June 3rd and 4th, beginning at 8 a. m. on each day. The schedule of subjects will be the same as in former examinations. For additional information, lists of old questions, etc., write J. Clyde Akers, County Superintendent of Schools, Farmington, Mo.

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### Classified Ads.

WANTED—A pony saddle. Lynn Rariden, Farmington, Mo.

FOR SALE—New Ford Ton Truck, panel body, drove only 60 miles, worth \$275.00, will sell for \$225.00. Apply at Sandy's Candy Kitchen.

FOR SALE—Canary Birds; young singers four dollars (\$4); mated pairs six dollars (\$6). Mrs. Fred S. Oberle, Ste. Genevieve, Mo. 22-32

### LOCAL MARKET REPORT

Prepared by McAtee Produce Co., Who are Paying the Following Prices Today:

Eggs, per dozen	17c
Hens, per lb	15c
Old Geese, per lb	12c
Ducks, per lb	12c
Stags, per lb	12c
Old Cocks, per lb	12c
Leghorn Spring Chickens, per lb	12c
1-Lb Spring Chickens, per lb	12c
Land, per lb	12c
Spring Chickens, 1-Lb, per lb	12c
Guineas, each	25c
Turkeys, per lb	25c
Tom Turkeys, per lb	25c
Bacon, per lb	12c
Slams, per lb	12c
Chickens, per lb	12c
Old Potatoes, per bushel	85c
Muscovy Ducks	85c
Hides, per lb	25c
Hams, per 100 lbs	25c
Lead, per lb	25c
Good Butter, per lb	25c
Harding Butter, per lb	25c
Butter, per lb	25c
Wax, per lb	25c